Washington Money Market. Quotations for stocks, coin and uncurrent money, furnished by Lewis Johnson & Co.,

Buying. Selling. U. S. Coupon Bonds. 1881 196% Do., 1881, 5.20's par U. S. 7.30 Notes 1063 Quartermasters' Checks 99% A merican Gold 12 a1 5

American Silver 115 NEW YORK RATES. Coupon 6's, 1881, 107; 7.30's, 1071; New Cert ficates of Indebtedness, 993; Gold, 1217.

OUR MILITARY BUDGET. THE GUERRILLA AFFAIR UP RIVER.

A BIG SENSATION STORY MATERIALLY RE DUCED.

A morning cotemporary has the following: "GOBBLED UP .- Two hundred and eightythree of 'Scott's Nine Hundred' were captured yesterday, it is supposed, by White's rebel cavalry, near Edward's Ferry. The whole number sent out was but three hundred, seventeen of whom returned. We regret this the more from the fact that this regiment, Colonel Swaim, is one of the most serviceable in the army. "[Since we obtained the above information,

we have been the recipients of a multiplicity of dispatches in regard to the above paragraph, variously stating the capture at from 17 to 700. We trust, and are inclined to think, that the number is not so large as our first report makes

So far as we are able to ascertain, the facts in

For some time past some of "Scott's 900" cavalry, Col. Swain, have been doing picket duty on about 40 miles of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, the pickets being under the command of Lieut. Col. Wilkinson. There was no appearance of the enemy along the line on Thursday, but at one o'clock yesterday morning, two pickets belonging to the force of 61 men who were stationed at Edwards' Ferry, when about two miles above, were fired upon, one shot striking Alonzo Pickett, of company D, going through his jaw, inflicting a dangerous wound. They were both captured, and after being deprived of their horses and arms, were permitted to return to camp.

On their arrival, Capt. Halleck immediately set out with 16 men to reconnoiter the canal, and proceeded about seven miles and returned without encountering any enemy until he arrived within half a mile of the Ferry, when his advance of four men were captured by a party of rebels; and on looking towards the camp be saw it in the possession of between three or four hundred of the enemy, supposed to be White's or Moseby's men.

During the absence of the reconnoitering party this camp was attacked, and one of the rebels is known to have been killed, the reserve which had been left there scattering and falling back on another encampment of the regiment under Capt. Campbell, at Muddy Branch, when the entire body, numbering about eighty men, retired from the line of the canal to the hills in the rear, where they were when last heard from, drawn up in line of battle.

So far as is known, our loss is four men taken prisoners and one man (Pickett) wounded and a prisoner, and that of the rebels one man killed. Our force at Muddy Branch yesterday cap. tured two men, one of whom admits that he piloted Stuart into Maryland previous to the battle of Gettysburg.

MOSEBY SERIOUSLY WOUNDED.

THE FACT CONFIRMED.

A lady has arrived in this city, who on Wednesday last, in coming past Hackley's Cross Roads in the vicinity of Upperville, guerrilla leader Moseby, who was wounded in a skirmish near Rector's Cross Roads, on the preceding Monday. He received two wounds in the breast and one in the back, and it was thought they were mortal.

As he lay in the open wagon supported by pillows and shielded from the sun by umbrellas, his face had the ghastly hue of death upon it. The wagon was accompanied by a guard of nine men, and the lady met some fifty or sixty more of the guerrillas straggling along the road. They were moving in the direction of Culpeper, and would appear to be going directly in the jaws of Union forces just ahead of them, but they doubtless designed turning off by some of the bye-paths familiar to them. Moseby is a man of medium size, perhaps 32

years of age. His gang has been often confounded in the popular mind with that of White, which operates upon the line of the Potomac in the vicinity of Edwards' Ferry. White belongs near Poolesville, Maryland, and is thus as familiar with every foot of the territory in that vicinity as is Moseby in the quarter which he infests.

It is reported that Moseby has recently received some 800 recruits to his ranks, the sort of Robin Hood life he leads having great fascinations for young men especially.

It is a mistake, we hear, that the operations of these guerrillas costribute in any material degree to the aid of the Conf derate armies, as the class of captures they make is largely of perishable articles that goes only for the temporary support of the robbers themselves; and, indeed, is insufficient for that, as the people of the sountry are loud in their complaints of being preyed upon by the lawless gang.

PRISONERS OF WAR. The following prisoners of war, sent in from the Army of the Potomac, were committed to the Old Capitol last evening by order of Capt, Tedd. Among them will be noticed several commissioned officers :- Capt. T. C. S. Hunter, 36th Va. infantry; John Taylor and Lieut. J. Taylor, 9th Va. cavalry; Thos. S. Shelley, 4th Va. eavairy; W. B. H. Blanford, topographical engineers; B. Ellison, Wm. Ellison and John C. Murray, 6th Va. cavalry; J. J. Coppock, 4sth Alabama miantry, and Thos. Ratlins, Georgia

CONFIRMATION OF THE REPORT OF THE CAPTURE OF U. S. GUNBOATS IN THE RAPPAHANNOCK

The Navy Department received advices this morning, confirming the report given yesterday, of the capture on Saturday night last, by the rebels, of the gunboats Satellite and Reliance, in the Rappahannock river.

REBEL DESERTERS

Lieut. M. C. Barnes, Patrick Hickey, Wm Keith, Samuel Crosby, Mills Russell, W. M. Bluins, John Shine, S. C. Clark, W. S. Stevens, Thos. Pritchard and L. Franklin, were sent in last evening from the Army of the Potomac as rebel deserters, and by order of Capt. Todd committed to the Old Capitol.

UNDER SENTENCE OF COURT MARTIAL. The following named, under sentence of Court Martial and sent in from the Army of the Potomac, were committed to the Old Capitol by order of Capt. Todd :- Geo. Bull, 121st N. Y Vol.: Erastus Greene, 111st N. Y. Vol.; Constance McPulin, 19th N. Y. Vol.; and John Pendergrass, 145th N. Y. Vol.

TRANSFERRED.

Horatio Field and Thomas F. Quinn, suspicious characters, were transferred from the Central Guardhouse to the Old Capitol, yesterday, by order of Capt. Todd.

.... Thon. Thaddens Stevens, of Pa., has westten a letter, giving as his opinion that the payment of the \$300 commutation by a drafted man exempts him from a further draft for three years. He says the payment of such \$300 "makes the Government his agent to procure | rebel prisorers at Camp Douglas, Chicage. a substitute. The Government has consented | W Lx-President Pierce is sojourning at Bosto act as such agent." tra.

CHARLESTON! FORT SUMTER DEMOLISHED.

THE STARS AND STRIPES PLOATING OVER WAGNER AND SUMTER.

BAITIMORE, Aug. 25 .- A special dispatch direct from Fortress Monroe, dated to-day, from highly reliable authority, fully confirms the capture or entire reduction of Fort Sumter

They were occupied on Monday afternoon last by the Federal troops, about 3 o'clock, who hoisted the glorious old stars and stripes once more over the broken walls of Sumter and shattered battlements of Fort Wagner, amid deafening cheers.

Morris Island was soon expected to be entirely rid of rebels, while operations were in progress to secure Fort Moultrie, and then take Charleston, which had no possible chance of holding out many hours or days.

The above news came to Fortress Monroe by U. S. gunbeat Western World, just from the fleet off Wilmington, which reports that on Monday afterneon, at 3 o'clock, an hour before she left, the U. S. steamer Florida had arrived there from the fleet off Charleston, bringing the gladsome tidings.

The Siege of Charleston.

PITCHING SHELLS INTO THAT CITY. GREAT COMMOTION IN THE CITY.

THE 300-POUNDER PAREOTT YET SERVICE. ABLE

The correspondent of the New York Herald

Making good his notice to Beauregard, Gen Gilmore directed Lieut. Sellmer, commanding the Marsh Eattery, to open with his heavy rifled gun upon the city of Charleston during the night. Accordingly the piece was trained in that direction, and between one and two o'clock on Saturday morning fifteen shells of Birney's invention were pitched over the James Island batteries across the island and the harbor and into the town. Their flight was wonderful. When last seen the monstrous projectiles were still soaring upwards, as if on their way to join the stars.

The effect of this demonstration against the city was quite satisfactory to ourselves, if not to the remaining inhabitants. Perhaps Gen. Beauregard had considered Gen. Gilmore's threat to shell Charleston at the distance of four miles too preposterous to demand attention. Certainly the city had not been evacuated by all the non-combatants. The visitors which our "Swamp Angel" sent them created a most uproarious panic. The people were roused by their advent, and that universal confusion followed and a general skedaddle ensued was evident from the light of burning buildings, the ringing of bells from every sleeple, and the screeching and screaming of locomotive achistles.

The Times correspondent writes: Since Monday we have been unfortunate with three of the heavy guns. A shell prematurely exploded in one, killing one man and wounding five others, and dislodging a portion of the breach, making the piece of no service for present use. Another gun, of the same pattern and calibre, belonging to the same battery, was temporarily disabled by a shell exploding in the chamber. The shell became fast before reaching the breach, and to force it home four marines seized a crowbar, and were in the act of striking it, when an explosion ensued, killing instantly three marines and mortally wounding the fourth. The muzzle of another very important gun was blown off. ing fired but few rounds. Fortunately no one was injured. Men are at work this evening with file and chisel, and probably the gun will be in working order again to morrow. It is said by judges that its accuracy of aim will not be destroyed, but its efficiency is somewhat lessened, inasmuch as one mile and a half is taken off its range. This gun has already had a good share in tumbling down Sumter.

An ordinance has been passed by the Board of Supervisors of New York, and has been signed by the Mayor, appropriating \$2,000,000 for the purpose of securing the exemption (either by substitutes or the payment of the commutation money) of such members of the police, fire department or militia force as may be drafted, and also for providing for the families of poor persons who may be drafted. This action was taken by the Supervisors after the Boards of Aldermen and Counand refered upon the recommendation of the Mayor to pass a similar law-the Council alleging that the bill vetoed by Mayor Opdyke covered the ground, and that they would pass

At the time of his death General Pemberton was on his way to Montgomery, Alabama, where a Military Court of Inquiry, to inquire into the causes attending the surrenter of Vicksburg, was ordered to be held. While at Selma, Alabama, he was approached by an officer of a Texas regiment, who accused him of selling Vicksburg to General Grant. This the Rebel General denied, when, after further conversation, General Pemberton attempted to shoot the Texan, who, however, before he had effected his purpose, drew a revolver and shot Pemberton, the wound producing almost in-

The officers of the steamer Forrest City. which took nearly one thousand conscripts from Long Island to Alexandria, say that frequent threats were made on the passage by the substitutes on board to burn the steamer, but no attempt was made to execute them. On arriving in the Potomac many efforts at escape were made. One man was shot while attempting to swim sshore. Another was discovered in the water with a box over his head, and on being picked up was found to have \$600 in his belt. After landing quite a number escaped while on the way to the army in the cars.

IF It is understood that a body of troops are en route for Northampton county, on the Eastern Shore, for the purpose of levying a tax upon the people living near to pay for the light house which was recently destroyed by a party of Confederates. It is assumed that the residents were cognizant of the act. Their representative in Congress (Mr. Segar) is making strong efforts with the Government to procure a revocation of the order assessing the citizens. He has stated in a recent letter that they knew nothing of the matter, and that the allegation can be proved .- Balt. Sun.

A copy of the Raleigh (North Carolina) Standard, just received, contains numerous reports of peace meetings held throughout the State. This is the first movement in the Confederacy to end the war, and bodes no good to the fast crumbling Richmond dynasty. That journal still maintains it fearless and hightoned course against the Davis conspirators. The revolution there is fast ripening.

17 It is stated in a letter from Richmond on the 24th inst. that Col. Straight and his party will now be regarded as prisoners of war, and it is thought that John Morgan and his men, who are now confined in the Ohio penitentiary will be put by our Government on the same

Vallandigham reached Windsor, Canada, opposite Detroit, Mich., on Monday evening last. A few of the citizens of Detroit, with one Judge Flynn as spokesman, welcomed him, and, of course, listened to a characteristic address in reply.

Judge Bacon, of Utica, has published his opinion, in substance, that deserters (conscripts) in custody, under a law of Congress, cannot be released by State courts. Judge Mullen, of the same judicial district, has written a decision taking contrary grounds.

General Dix has published a correspondence, showing that Governor Seymour had refused to furnish State troops to preserve order in New York during the enforcement of

17 General Grant was at Cairo with Adjutant General Thomas on August 23, on a tour of inspection. They left Cairo for Vicksburg after a few hours' stay.

Hon. Sherrard Clemens, or West Vir-

ginia, has declined a nomination for Congress. There are one thousand seven hundred

THE STATES IN REEELLION. Letter from Robert Toombs-He Declares the Confederacy Eankrupt.

The Georgia Constitutionalist of the 21th of August contains a letter from Robert Toombs, late Senator of the United States and late rebel Secretary of State. It is undoubted and startling evidence of the utter bankruptcy and failore of the Confederacy. He boldly exposes the wickedness and corruption of the managers of the bogus government, and says that the whole rebellion is rotten, useless and wicked. The laws are weak and the rulers oppressive, and a starving community are impoverished and plundered. We quote the following remark-

"Can I say more to expose the boundless tolly of our present financial system! The history of the currency of our enemies, since the beginning of this war, is humiliating to us. Either had foreign credits. Both had powerful and established State Governments to back them. We were united in favor of the war. They were divided. They have kept twice the number of men in the field that we have, upon half the money, and paid their soldiers better than we have. Their Treasury notes sell at a discount of less than thirty per cent .; ours at more than one thousand. The reason is solely that their Government has better understood and more firmly adhered to the true principles of currency than ours. In all else we had the advantage."

Tecmbs proceeds, and says that taxation, rigid comprehension, and loans, are the only way by which sound currency can be obtained. He thus concludes :

"We must act, and that quickly. The public interest and public safety will no longer allow delay. Our present system is utterly insupportable. It is upsetting the very foundation of private rights; daily weakening public confidence in our cause at home and abroad; sowing among the people dangerous discontents, which are daily deepening and widening Patriotism demands that all good men should unite to correct this evil."

BELIGIOUS NOTICE—The Rev. T. R. Howler having returned to the city, will preach TO MORROW MORNING, at 11 o'clock, and at 3 p. m., to the Calvary Baptist Church, on 5th street. The public are respectfully invited.

BELIGIOUS NOTICE—The Revd. W. W. KESE, will preach in the M. P church on the street between E and F streets, TOMORROW. (the 3 h inst.,) at 11 s. m., and at 8 p. n. Mr. Reese is a fine orator and effective preacher The public are requested to be present. The seat are fiee.

A EMBER.

ADMISSION TO PUBLIC SOROOLS—Ties sub-board of school Trustees of the Second Council District, (Ed and 4th Words) wil meet daily at the Treaturer's office, City Hall, between the hours of 9 and 11 a.m.; where all applications for admission to the schools of that District must be made.

M. H. MILLER'
C. H. UTERMEHLE,
W. J. RHMES,
Sub board, 2d District.

FESTIVAL, In the new Parish School-Touse of

ST. ALOYSIUS CHURCH, First street, between I and K streets, On MONDAY, TUESDAY, and WIDNESDAY, August 31st and Sept. 1st am 2d. Doors open at 6 o'clock p. m. Entance, 25 cents;

children, 15 cents. Proceeds for the building of the Schrol-bouse. NOTICE-WASHINGTON HEBREW

CONGREGATION.-The lews in the 2th
street Synagogue will be sold on the 30th inst., at 9
o'clock a.m. By order of the President,
au 24-co4t*

A. ADIER, Rec. Sec.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS. COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, &

August 13, 1853.

The rate of Tax for the year 1863 has been fixed at seventy five cents on the one hundred dollars.

Under the law a discount of 15 per cent is allowed upon all taxes paid on or before the last day of Sep-The abatement therein named will not be allowed upon the taxes on property already in arrears for general purposes, until all such arrearages are WM. DIXON, Collector.

THE YOUNG LADIES OF MRS. A. E. BELL'S Eelect Academy will commence their next regular course of study on the first MONDAY of September. Location, southeast corner of L and COLUMBIAN COLLEGE, D. C.—The session of

DAY, September 9th; of the College, September Ed. For further information or catalogues apply to the President, au 20-e02w* G. W. SAMSON, D. D. TEAMSHIP BALTIMORE HAS ARRIVED

charging cargo at foot of High street.
Georgetown. Consigness will please attend to the reception of their goods at once. au 29-St MORGAN & BRINKHART, A gents NOTICE.—The English and German School.

held at 11th street, between F and G. will

manner TURDDAY, and of September. Besides
the branches formerly taught in this school, tescons will be given in Latin, Algebra, Geometry,
and Drawing.

MISS C. DONGLER,

MULES

au 14-2aw3w

MULES: The subscriber has for sale several pairs of well broken MULES.

JAB. H. SHREVE. 7th st., bet. H and I sts.

IVE IT DOWN. A NOVEL. J. C. JEFFER-Social Condition of the English People. By Jos. Kay; \$1. Capital of the Tycoon. By Sir Rutherford Alcock 2 vois; \$3. FRANCK TAYLOR. JUST RECEIVED

A NEW and complete stock of SCHOOL BOOKS, which we offer for sale at our usual low prices; also, a full supply of School Requisites; embracing Pens and Holoers, Pencils, Rubber, Drawing and Composition Books, Crayons, Slates, Portfolios, Ink, Slate and Blackboara Rubbers, &c.

WM. BALLANTYNE, 498 Seventh street.

PECIAL CARD-VALUABLE RESIDENCE ON F STREET, NEAR FOURTEENTH STREET, FOR SALE NDER A DECREE OF COURT -Attention is called to the sale of that desirable residence on F street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, belonging to the estate of the late Major Wm. M. Clark, U.S. A. to take place on the premises on MONDAY APTERNOON, August 31st at 5 o'clock, on the premises.
The house is a commodious three-stery Brick,

with large back buildings and a brick stable situated on a thirty feet alley in the rear, with water and gas throughout J C. McGUIRE & CO., Aucta.

DROPOSALS FOR COAL. TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

PROPOSALS are hereby invited for delive y represents are sereby invited for delive y at the Treasury Department of seven hundred time of the best quality of Authracite Coal, furnice size, and for one hundred tons of Cumberland Coal all to be delivered as early as practicable, but not later than the first of November next.

Proposals must be sealed, and addressed to the undersigned before the fifth of September, 1863.

S. M. CLARK,
Chief First Division,
National Currence Russan

National Currency Bureau. UST OPENED AT

LANSBURG & BRO.'S BALTIMORE BARGAIN STORE. 375 SEVENTH STEEST, THIRD DOOR ABOVE I.

760 pieces Bleached Cottons, of all widths and grades, from 15s per yard up. 800 pieces beautiful Dark Prints, some as cheap as

1212c. per yard, 250 pieces latest styles Dark De Laines. 1 [These goods come direct from the agests, and there. fore we are able to sell them very cheap.] 20 p'eces Super. Irish Linen, at 37 %c. 25 pieces Super. Irish Linen, very fine. 50c.

Also a large lot of White Linen Handkerchiefs, at 10, 121, and 183., worth double, Ard a great many other Goods from auction, too numerous to mention.

Call early, and convince yourself, at LANSBURG Baltimore Bargain Store, 375 Beventh st ... au 29-1w* 31 door above I.

lege of serving about 15 customers on Penn. avenue between the Capitol and 7th street. Apply to JOHN COLBERT, 2d street, between D and Va. avenue, Island.

OR SALD .- The schooner MARY, 65 tons register, 110 tons burthen, just been thoroughy repaired, well suited for Sutlers or the Oyster trade, well found in every restrict. For terms apply to BARNE3 & SON, Sailmakers, foot of 11th street.

N E W G O O D S.
N Gents' Fine So't HATS, latest styles,
Foys' HATS, all styles and colors,
Just received, and for sale at the lowest prices,
BURB & BROTHER,
383 Seventh st., near I.

DUBLIC SCHOOLS. WASHINGTON, Ausust 27th, 1863.
The Committee on Examination will meet in the Aldermen's known, City Hall, on WEDNESDAY next, the 2d September, at 10 o'cloc; a. m. Applicants for positions as teachers are invited to acted an 28-td [Intel. & Chron.] F. S. WALSH, Chairman.

COAL BY THE CARGO OR SINGLE TON FOUR THOUSAND TONS ON HAND. W 0 0 D

OF THE BEST QUALITY. At Yard corner C and 1st street, near B. & O. R R. Depot; and Wharf foot of 11th street, Island. O. W. PALMER.

4 O'CLOCK P. M.

OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE ATTACK

BY MOSEBY ON MONDAY LAST. MOSEBY SAID TO BE PATALLY WOUNDED.

Official information was received this morning at Gen. Heintzleman's headquarters of the skirmish on Monday last between a detachment of the 2d Massachusetts Cavalry, Cali-

foruia Regiment, and Moseby's men. This attack by Moseby was made at Coyle's Tavern, on Little River turnpike, some few miles this side of Fairfax, about 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Our men, numbering only twenty-five, were attacked front and rear at the same time, but fought manfully. Their loss was two killed, three wounded and nine taken prisoners, together with all the horses they had in charge, fifteen of which, however, were afterwards recaptured, leaving eighty-five still in the hands of the enemy.

The loss of the enemy was one Captain and one Lieutenant killed, and one Lieutenant and three privates wounded. Moseby himself was wounded in two places, side and thigh. His wounds are regarded as fatal.

Col. Lowell pursued the enemy from Centreville as far as Snicker's Gap, but they sucseeded in making their escape by reason of having constant remounts of fresh horses.

STRANDING AND DESTRUCTION OF THE STEAMER HEBE.

SHE IS BOARDED, AND THE BOARDING PARTY CAPTURED BY THE REBELS.

Acting Rear Admiral S. P. Lee, commanding North Atlantic blockading squadron, reports that at daylight on the 18th instant the steamer Hebe attempted to run into Wilmington by the New Inlet entrance, but was headed off by the Niphon, when she was run ashore a few miles ove Fort Fisher. Her crew escaped in boats. At the time a gale was blowing from the

northeast, with a heavy sea, and as there was no prospect of getting the Hebe off, she was set on fire by a boarding party from the Niphon, or by the shells of the Niphon and Shockokon, after the boarding party had been captured by the enemy, who, with two pieces of artillery and riflemen, well protected by sand hills close by, fired upon them and upon the vessels, whose firing was affected by the heavy swell.

The Niphon lost two boats, swamped, and fifteen persons, principally by capture. Three of the boarding party were saved by means of

The Hebe is an iron propellor. Her cargo consisted of drugs, coffee, clothing, and provisions. She was as thoroughly burned as the water in her would admit. THE NOTORIOUS BELLE BOYD AGAIN.

Among the commitments to the Old Capitol yesterday afternoon, we notice the name of the notorious Belle Boyd. Belle, it will be remembered, was sent South some time ago, but her restless, roving disposition would not permit her to remain there, so she paid occasional visits by stealth to her friends inside our lines, gaining such information from them as they were able to impart, and hastening back with it to the South. Intelligence of her movements finally reached headquarters, and one of Capt. Johnson's detectives was dispatched to Martinsburg, where she was said to be, with full anthority to arrest her and bring her to this city. The errand was successfully accomplished, and Belle Boyd is again a prisoner in the Old Capitol.

A SIGN OF THE TIMES. We have reliable information from the Shenandcah Valley (of Virginia) to the effect that the leading rebels of that quarter are now transferring their property to men of straw who make some pretensions to being of Union proclivities. This is of course being done under the pretence of sales of the property to save it from confiscation under the law of Congress to that end. As such transfers, made at this late day, will require to be backed by strong proof of the actual payment of fair value for the property to pass the scrutiny of the Government's law officers, few of them will turn out to be worth a pinch of snuff.

Washington Money Market-Latest Quo. tations. Furnished by Lewis Johnson & Co., Bank-

U. S. Coupon Bonds, 1881 106% 107 % U. S. 5'20'spar 107 % Quartermasters' Checks.......99% American Silver......115

NEW YORK RATES-3 O CLOCK P. M. Coupon 6's, 1881, 107; 7-30's, 107½; New Certificates of Indebtedness, 99¾, Gold, 121½; N. Y. Central R.R., 138½; Erie R.R., 120; Michigan Southern, 105½; Harlem, 169½; Cleveland and Pittsburg, 103%; Reading, 121%.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

A NEW MOVE OF THE REBEL LEADERS.

BLACK TROOPS. ANOTHER ELOCKADE RUNNER GETS INTO

JEFF DAVIS TO ARM HALF A MILLION OF

WILMINGTON. FORTRESS MONROE, Aug. 29 .- The steamer C. W. Thomas has arrived from Newbern, with Lieutenant Stirling, of General Peck's

staff, as bearer of dispatches. A dispatch from the blockading fleet says, on the morning of the 17th inst., a large sloop-ofwar, of ten guns, with the British flag flying, swept past the blockading steamers, and immediately hoisted the Rebel flag, and passed into Wilmington. This is the fourth Rebel war vessel which has run this blockade within six weeks.

The rebel papers received at Morehead City say Jeff Davis has decided, after a conference with the Governors of the Confederate States. to call out half a million of black troops, who are to receive their freedom and fifty acres of land at the end of the war.

FROM BERMUDA. REBEL PIRATES THERE.

SERIOUS TROUBLE IN BERMUDA WITH

NEGRO LABORERS NEW YORK, August 29 .- The smack Pacific, from Bermuda on the 24th instant, has arrived here.

The rebel steamer Gladiator was going into Bermuda when she was leaving. The Rebel steamer Robert Lee arrived at Bermuda on the 23d inst., and reports being

chased nine hours by a cruiser, and she had to throw overboard three hundred bales of cotton to escape. On the 20th inst. in Lat. 35 Long. 67 she passed the Pirate "Florida" with a ship in tow. The Bermuda Gazette gives an account of the proceedings in St. Georges, showing that serious troubles are occurring there relative to the

negro laborers, who have demanded higher wages for work on discharging Rebel vessels. Several assassinations have occurred and incendiarism is frequent. A large quantity of cotton was set on tire, and subsequently thrown into the bay to extinguish the flames The rebel steamers Columbia and Eugene were at the wharf when the fire occurred. The steamers Fannie and Jenny from Hali-

tax, and Florida from Nassau, had arrived. The Rebel steamer Phantine from Wilmingten, with cotton, arrived on the 10th inst.

THE DRAFT IN OHIO. CINCINNATI, Aug. 29.-It is announced this

merning that no draft will be made in this State. Officers of the army, sent home to receive drafted men, are instructed to open recraiting offices for culistments.

FROM VICKSBURG AND NEW OR-CONFIRMATION OF PEMBERTON'S DEATH. INDICATION OF A MILITARY MOVEMENT

FROM NEW ORLEANS. CINCINNATI, August 29.-Late information received from Vicksburg confirms the death of Gen. Pemberton; he was shot by a Texas soldier. No particulars are given.

A numerously attended Union meeting was receptly held at Pelham, Greenly county, Tenn. Resolutions were passed expressive of a desire to return to the Union, and repudiating the act of secession passed in 1861, and recommending the reorganization of the State.

The 14th Army Corps has been transferred by General Grant to the Army of the Gulf. Preparations were made at New Orleans on the 19th for a move immediately.

LOCAL NEWS.

AN IMPORTANT DECISION.—The decision in the following communication is of much interest to a large number of people: TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

Office of Internal Revinue, WASHINGTON, Aug. 28, 1863. SIR: In reply to yours of the 20th instant, I have to say, that in making payments to persons in the service of the United States, who are employed by the day, the 3 per cent. tax should be witheld on the amount in excess of \$600 per annum, assuming that there are three hundred working days in the year.

The amount of \$2 per day is therefore exempt from the tax.

Very respectfully, [Signed] JOSEPH J. LEWIS, Commissioner. CLEM. L. WEST, Esq., Gen'l Sup't Capitol

Extension, &c., Washington, D. C.

Adrian Klozenski, alien.

Altred Gauler, alien.

Jacob Kirch, alien.

THE DRAFT.—The following cases were disposed of by the Board of Enrolment up to the hour of 2% o'clock to-day : Samuel Harper, only parent of children. Luige Brenta, alien. S. Fisher, only son of widow.

Edward Fox, disability. August Herbstlem, alien Wm. Hutchinson, disability. John Murphy, over age. John L. Edwards, paid commutation. Samuel Furst, furnished substitute-John avender. Dennis O'Neal, over age. Felix Eirstein, alien.

Patrick Murphy, disability. Winfield S. Martin, furnished substitute-Frank Murphy. Thomas Carroll, over age. Jeremiah O'Connell, alien. Robert Carroll colored, furnished substitute-

Isaac Johnson. Mathias Snyder, disability. William Shipley, furnished substitute-Wm. Bazil Fletcher, over age. Caleb Pennington, disability.

Thomas Kellegan, only son of widow. Timothy Donoughoe, alien. Theodore Studdiford, erroneously enrolled. John Coughlin, furnished substitute-Chas. Wagner.

John H. Phillips, furnished substitute-Wm. H. Davis. Timothy D. Daly, furnished substitute-C. C. Cleaver. Wm. Hall, over age. Andrew J. Appleby, disability. James Cavanon, alien. John H. Westfall, over age. Alex. Whilan, alien. Charles M. Miller, disability. Henry Emrich, alien. Allan W. Hodgman, only son of a widow. Wm. Smith, colored, accepted Elijah Gordan, colored, accepted. Robt. Anderson, colored, accepted. Lewis Brittain, disability. Chas. Bentley, over age. Fredk. Somerlatt, alien. Jos. C. Caden, paid commutation. Chas. F. Wagner, over age. John Murphy, over age, Henry Hoag, disability. Patrick Carrol, over age

Herman Ahlert, disability.

William Scott, colored, furnished substitute Robert Carter. William Suemaker, disability. Joseph Giddings, colored, accepted. William Dutcher, disability. John P. Franklin, paid commutation. William Fleming, erroneously enrolled. Robert Jones, over age. D. W. Merchant, only support of widow Patrick O'Mealey, alien. George Double, over age. George Stewart, only son of widow. Samuel Bruice, disability. Rudolph Neagle, alien.

William Hutchinson, erroneously enrolled. This morning Frank Murphy was accepted as a substitute for Winfield S. Martin, and asked permission to go to his house in Swampoodle to give his wife the money he had received, which was granted, a guard being sent with him. On their arrival, he gave his wife the money, and got permission of the guard to go into another room with the wife, when he slipped out and made his escape. The guard, after waiting a few minutes, went to look after him, but he was non est, and the guard took the wife into custody, and carried her before Capt. Scheetz, and on being searched, \$205 of the money the husband had received as a substitute was recovered and also a watch, which is supposed to have been a part of the pay he received as substitute. The captain concluded to hold her until the absconding husband can be heard from,

and committed her to the guardhouse. THE CAPTURE OF THE GUNBOATS SATEL-LITE AND RELIANCE.-The staff boat Ella. Master Eldridge, arrived this morning, and brings some particulars of the capture of the gunboats Satellite and Reliance in the Rappahannock on Saturday night last. It appears from the statement of a Mr. Spillman, who conversed with one of the men who escaped from the Satellite, but was afterwards recaptured, that at about 12 o'clock on Saturday night, while the two steamers were laying in the mouth of the Rappahannock, four boats approached from the direction of the Piankatank, each containing about 25 men, who were allowed to board the gunboa's, the officers thinking they were contrabands, many of whom come off in the night.

The two boats approached each vessel, and the rebels took possession of them with but small resistance, two or three pistols only being fired. Mr. McCauly, the engineer of the Reliance, however, succeeded in breaking his engine so as to render it useless. Mr. Charles Clark, the coxswain of the Satellite, as soon as he saw that the boat was in possession of the rebels, jumped overboard and swam ashore to Windmill Point, where he remained until Tuesday, when he was captured by the rebel cavalry who were sent there for the purpose. After the capture, the rebels, with the Satellite, captured two schooners which ran into the mouth of the river for harbor, and towed them. with the Reliance, up to Port Tobago, (about 60 miles up,) where they put the officers and crews ashere, who, it is thought, are by this time in Richmond

As soon as the capture was known among the boats of the flotilla, several were sent down to retake them, but they had escaped up the river. The Commodore Barney, however, went up the river on Monday, and heavy firing was afterwards heard from that direction. Both of the captured boats have been on the flotilla for some months, and have done good service. The Satellite was a side wheeler and carried a 32-pounder from gun and 21-pound howitzer, with a crew of about 25 men; and at | Mercantile tuition per quarter of 11 weeks... 19 to the time of her capture had the following offi. cers on board: Acting Master J. F. D. Robin-son, Ensign Rudolph Sommers, Master's Mate Henry Fogg, 2d Assistant Engineer Isaac Johnson, 3d Assistant Engineers John Mel and Christopher McCormick, and Acting Pilot Rob-Master's Mate C. B. McClellan and Pilot G. F. Moore, of the Satellite, were both in this city at the time on business. The Reliance is a propeller, and carried a 30-pound Parrott and 12-pound howitzer, with a crew of about 15 men. The following are her officers: Ensign Henry Walters, Master's Mate Thomas Brown, 2d Assistant Engineer James McCauley, jr., and 3d Assistant A. Renshaw, of this

We notice that several papers have mistaken the latter boat for the Reliance, (revenue boat,) Capt. Durgan, of Baltimore.

BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILEOAD.-This

road is again open all the way to Wheeling,

and passengers can again go through from Washington to St. Louis with but two changes of cars There are but three changes between Washington and Chicago, and but one between Washington and Cincinnati. Several new engines and cars, built expressly for this road, have been placed upon the track. A ride over this road is particularly interesting at this time; for not only is the scenery grand, but on the route the traveler passes the battle-fields of Antietem, Harper's Ferry, &c. Tickets through can be procured at any hour during the day from Mr. R. W. Edmonds, passenger agent; Mr. Chs. Cook, ticket agent, or Mr. G. S. Koontz, general agent. Bir. Edmonds gives his personal attention to the seating of the passengers, and he so classifies them as to make the trip pleasant and comfortable to all.

DISTURBANCES AT THE FIRE.-Last night. several attempts were made to create disturbances in the vicinity of the fire on Thirteenth street, pear the canal. It was difficult to ascertain who were the originators, but the police suppressed the riotous indications as quickly as possible. After the companies had left the ground, and were on their way to their enginehouses, a little disturbance was started among the crowd that followed them hear Eightn street, on Pennsylvania avenue, but it was speedily suppressed. It is hoped that the Fire Department, as at present organized, will succeed in maintaining the reputation for decency and orderly deportment which it now possesses, and not as in many other cities become a terror to the inhabitants. The Fire Department at precent is orderly and efficient, and in order for it to remain so, it is only necessary for each company to discountenance the presence of the rowdies and hangers-on who always are to be found where fires are, and who are ready for a fight, but not to save property.

LARCENY AND ARREST .- Last night, officer Simonds of the Second Ward, arrested Jas. W. Smallwood and John Carter, on suspicion of straling a quantity of tobacco, which they were offering to sell at a very low price. Upon questioning them, the officer ascertained that the tobecco was given to them to sell by a man named Daniel Cooper, and that it was stolen from a sutler named Stephen A. Wilson. Officer Simonds then went in search of Cooper, and arrested him, and recovered all the tobacco, three gross of fine cut. Mr. Wilson appeared this morning before Justice Clayton and identified his property. Cooper was sent to jail for court: Smallwood and Carter were dismissed.

ORPHANS' COURT-Judge Purcell .- On Saturday the will of Mrs. Mary E. Cooledge Edwards was filed for probate. It provides that her separate estate in the hands of P. H. Cooledge, of New York, be given to her children, if she should leave any, and in case nonsurvive her, she provides legacies to various relatives and nominates her brother. P. H. Cooledge, and husband, John L. Edwards, as her executors.

Letters of administration were issued to Mrs. Lydia E. Hoover on the estate of Sam'l Hoover. and Harry Edelin on the estate of Rachel Dant.

ROBBING HOSPITALS .- Patrick McCarty and his wife, Fanny, were arrested on Wednesday night by officer Johnson, charged with stealing articles from Harewood Hospital. Four bedspreads, three white blankets and a tablecloth, belonging to the hospital, were found in their possession, and Justice Rowland held them to security for court. These larcenies have been going on for some time, but the perpetrators were not discovered until Wednesday night.

SECOND WARD STATION CASES .- Jno. Hannah, drunk; \$1 58. John Smith, do: military. James W. Smallwood, suspicious; dismissed John Carter, do; do. Daniel Cooper, larceny; jail for court. F. Kinway, assault and battery; bail for court. Andrew Giana, drunk and disorderly; \$153. C. Lamb, disorderly and profane; \$2.

MORE DEPREDATIONS OF WHITE'S GUERRILLAS ON THE LINE OF THE CANAL.

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AFFAIRS IN GEORGETOWN. [Correspondence of the Star.] GEORGETOWN, August 29, 1863. A telegraphic dispatch received this morning

by J. McH. Hollingsworth, Collector of Tolls C. and O. Canal, states that fourteen loaded boats are at the Point of Rocks, Md., whose captains are afraid to proceed, as there are no boats arriving there on their way up, and that a number of stock (canal teams) were captured yesterday by the rebels, who have crossed into Maryland at White's Ford. The dispatch does not give the number of rebels, but private reports place them at 500 strong. This should receive immediate attention from those in

authority, as those engaged in the canal trade are losing largely by these small raids.

This morning J. D. Raymond, clerk, was arrested by Officer Colburn for libelling Mr. J. H. Devon. Justice Reaver held him to bail for

The arrivals to-day are: - Steamer Baltimore, Lewis, New York. merchandise, to Morgan & Rhinehart; schrs. Commerce, Colbert, Port Deposit, Md., hay, to Hartley & Bro.; Chas. Gaskill, Dutton, Hayre-de-Grace, coal. to Bogue & Donnelly; Anna Sheppard, Booker, Alexandria, (light;) Anna C. Leverett, Squires. Washington, (light;) Wm. H. Mallen, Green, Washington, (light:) R. W. Brown, Bishop, Alexandria, (light;) Enoch Pratt, Baker, Washington, (light; brigs Wm. A. Dresser, Hatch, Alexandria, (light;) Ambrose, (light;) Stahl, Washington, (light;) sloop Ame Banner, Ellis, Washington, melons; barge A. Smith, Bowers, Alexandria, hay, to Government; Schrs. Abert Thomas, Thomas, New York, grain, to Government; Frances Cornell, New York, do., do.; Alliance, Foman, Washington, (light;) Mar-shall Perran, Copses, Alexandria, (light;)

Haxall, Bogett, Alexandria, (light.) Departures-Steamer E. Chamberlain, Stewart, Phila., merchandise from Hyde & Davidson; schooner Billip B. Seamen, King, Alexandria, with flour; steamer Empire, Hunt, N. Y., merchandise from Morgan & Rhinehart. Arrived by canal-Boats Juniatta, Little Bob, coal to Ray's Docks; D. Lyron, J. C. Chaplain, M. Criss, coal to Borden Mining Co.; Morgan, Miller, G. W. Bridsall, coal to C. C. & I. Co.; Capt. John Short, coal to W. R. Snow. Departed by canal-Boats Juniatta, Little Bob, M. B. Branhall, A. H. Poffentanger, Mary

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